भाग तथा राजस्थान में गंगानगर से सतलुज तक के राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग नं० 15 का पश्चिमी भाग (भारत-पाक सीमा तक)।

प्रतिबंधित क्षेत्र

असम, त्रिपुरा, मेघालय, सिक्किम के कुछ भाग और अण्डमान तथा निकोबार द्वीप समूह।

लक्षद्वीप, मिनीकॉय और अमिन्दीवी द्वीप समूह (प्रवेश तथा आवास पर प्रतिबंध) नियम 1967 के अधीन, ऐसा कोई भी व्यक्ति, जो द्वीप का निवासी न हो, सक्षम प्राधिकारी से अनिवार्य अनुज्ञापत्र प्राप्त किए बिना लक्षद्वीप में प्रवेश नहीं कर सकता अथवा ठहर नहीं सकता।

डा० रत्नाकर पाण्डेय : माननीय सभापति जी, जो विदेशी संरक्षित क्षेत्र हैं उनमें अरुणाचल प्रदेश, नागालैण्ड मणिपुर, मिजोरम, सिक्किम, उत्तर प्रदेश और हिमाचल प्रदेश के कुछ भागों आदि की चर्चा की गई है। मैं मंत्री महोदय से जानना चाहता हूं कि आपके द्वारा इन क्षेत्रों को निषिद्ध घोषित किए जाने के बाद इन क्षेत्रों में कितने विदेशी लोग आपके नियमों का उल्लंघन करके आए हैं ?

श्री सुबोधकांत सहाय : अध्यक्ष महोदय, इसकी जानकारी अभी पूरी तरह से उपलब्ध नहीं है।

डा० रत्नाकर पाण्डेय : आप तैयार होकर नहीं आए हैं। सदन में तैयार होकर आना चाहिए। इसकी जानकारी मुझे लिखकर में दीजिएगा।

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA: Sir, I wnat to ask the hon. Minister whether it is a fact that a number of foreigners whose passports have been impounded in the past have recently been allowed to come into India from abroad and have visited various places in the Punjab and, in fact, one of them came to India without the passport with your High Commissioner from London and was allowed to go all round the Punjab on his specific intervention. And how many such cases of foreigners without passports having been permitted to enter India have come to the notice of the Home Minister?

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: Sir, I strongly refute the allegation that somebody came here without a possport.

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA: Sir, I will write to the Minister giving the details of the date, the name of the person and the places he visited in Punjab without a passport.

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: Yes, I confirm the places he visited. But it is a wrong allegation that he is without passport and without permission.

MR. CHAIRMAN: Question Hour is over.

(Interruptions)

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA: I raised it last week. But even the Foreign Minister did not deny when I raised it.

MR. CHAIRMAN: But now he is denying it.

SHRIMATI MARGARET ALVA: Sir, he came with the Indian High Commissioner from London...

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: He did not come with the High Commissioner. That is number one.

MR. CHAIRMAN: He came separately.

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: Yes, No. 2. She Must keep in mind the fact. *(Interruptions)* Let me speak.

AN HON. MEMBER: Sir, Question Hour is over.

SHRI I. K. GUJRAL: She must keep in mind the fact that we have drastically revised the black-list, and I stand by it.

WRITTEN ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS

New National Highways in Gujarat

*385. SHRI ANANTRAY DEVSHANKER DAVE:
SHRI CHHOTUBHAI PATEL:

Will the Minister of SURFACE TRANSPORT be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government have received certain proposals for new National Highways in Gujarat; if so, which roads are proposed to be declared as National Highways in Gujarat during the 8th Five Year Plan; and

(b) whether Government propose to make the Ahmedabad—Rajkot road as a four-lane one; if so, by when the project would be finalised?

THE MINISTER OF SURFACE TRANSPORT (SHRI K. P. UNNIKRISHNAN): (a) Yes, Sir. Since the 8th Plant is not yet finalised, it is too early to say when any of the roads proposed might be declared as National Highways.

(b) No, Sir. However, a length of 15.8 Km of this road is already 4-lanes or being developed to 4-lanes, and 4-laning of another 1.2 km is included in the Annual Plan of 1990-91.

Incentives for the North-Eastern States

*386. SHRI RAMSINH RATHWA: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether his Ministry had recommended some special measures and incentives for establishment of trade and industry in the North-Eastern States with a view to ensure comprehensive development of those States;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether it is a fact that his Ministry had also recommended some relief in the fiscal laws for the enterprises/industries in the North-Eastern States; if so, the details thereof; and

(d) what were Government's decisions on these recommendations?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMED SAYEED): (a) No, Sir.

(b) Does not arise.

(c) No, Sir.

(d) Does not arise.

Loss of Jobs and Properties by the Indians Returning from Iraq and Kuwait

*390. PROF. SOURENDRA BHATTACHARJEE: Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether a large number of Indians are still held up in Kuwait and Iraq;

(b) whether it is a fact that those who have returned here have become jobless and that their property abroad are in danger of confiscation or wrongful possession;

(c) if so, the details thereof; and

(d) the action being taken in the matter on an urgent basis?

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI I. K. GUJRAL): (a) Before the current hostilities number of Indians in Kuwait and Iraq was estimated to be 1,72,000 and 9,000 respectively. A large number of these Indian nationals are still in Kuwait and Iraq.

(b) to (d) Government are not aware of any decision by the local authorities in Kuwait and Iraq to render those who have come back jobless or to confiscate their properties. However, Government are conscious that a large scale scheme of rehabilitation is likely to become necessary. In the view of Government, this will have to be part of a national effort involving the Central and State Governments, and other governmental and non-governmental agencies.

Terrorists arrested in Jammu and Kashmir

*391. SHRI ASHWANI KUMAR:
SHRI ATAL BIHARI VAJPAYEE:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of terrorists arrested (month-wise) in Jammu and Kashmir during each of the last 3 years and also since 1st January, 1990;

(b) the number of those who have been released without prosecution during the same period and the reasons therefor;

(c) the number of terrorists who have been prosecuted and sentenced by a court of law; and

(b) whether all arrested terrorists have been put in Jammu and Kashmir jails if not, the number of those who have been lodged outside the State?

THE MINISTER OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI MUFTI MOHAMMED SAYEED): (a) to (d) A statement is laid on the Table of the House.